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The complete guide to the state. Everything from state tax forms to road conditions along Interstate 5 to

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Enter your zip code to find your state and federal representatives on this League of Women Voters web

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In addition to offering insurance-related information for consumers, this site provides access to online fo

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Learn more about working for the State of California. This directory includes links to address a variety of

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Learn how to pay for college using the Cal Grant program, which provides eligible students money award

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This web site run by the Legislative Counsel allows you to search California law and past and pending le

EDUCATION

[CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION](#)

The California Department of Education oversees the state's system of public education, which serves o

[UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA HOME PAGE](#)

The University of California is one of the largest and most acclaimed institutions of higher education in th

[UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA ADMISSIONS](#)

This provides information about applying to the University of California's 10 campuses and a link to the c

[CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY HOME PAGE](#)

The California State University system graduates more students with four-year degrees than any other p

[CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY ONLINE APPLICATIONS](#)

This is an excellent source of information to assist students with online admission applications and to fin

[CALIFORNIA'S COMMUNITY COLLEGES](#)

The California Community College System is the largest higher education system in the world, with 109

[COMMUNITY COLLEGE ONLINE APPLICATIONS](#)

In addition to linking to the application form, this California Community Colleges Online Applications Cen

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The California School Boards Association is a collaborative group of more than 5,000 school board mem
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The California State Lands Commission manages more than 4 million acres of land. The Commission ov

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This Council was established in 2004 to help coordinate efforts to protect California's ocean and coastal

[CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY](#)

Cal/EPA's mission is to restore, protect and enhance the environment, and to ensure public health, envi

[CALIFORNIA AIR RESOURCES BOARD](#)

The California Air Resources Board works to protect the environment and public health through the redu

[CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION](#)

The Department of Conservation administers programs to ensure the sound environmental stewardship

[CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME](#)

The Department of Fish and Game manages the California's diverse wildlife resources and ecological ha

[CALIFORNIA COASTAL COMMISSION](#)

This Commission is responsible for planning and regulating the use of land and water in the coastal zone

HEALTHCARE

[CALIFORNIA HEALTHCARE SERVICES](#)

This directory links to many of the programs and services offered by the State of California, as well as to

[CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE-HEALTH INSURANCE PORTAL](#)

This site provides information and resources to help consumers navigate the complex health coverage s

[HEALTHY FAMILIES PROGRAM](#)

The Healthy Families Program provides low-cost health, dental and vision coverage for California childre

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BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

[CALIFORNIA BUSINESS PORTAL](#)

Access resources and information for starting, expanding, financing or relocating a business in California

[SECRETARY OF STATE'S CALIFORNIA BUSINESS PORTAL](#)

This site includes links to business filings information and forms, as well as a step-by-step guide for start

[CALIFORNIA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE](#)

Find information and resources for California businesses and a directory of local Chambers of Commerce

[CALJOBS](#)

The CalJOBS system helps to match employers with qualified job seekers by allowing job listings and re

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VETERANS

[CALIFORNIA STATE MILITARY MUSEUM](#)

Web site of the official military museum and historical research center of the State of California.

[CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS](#)

The California Department of Veterans Affairs provides California veterans and their families with aid an

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DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

[GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES](#)

This page provides a wealth of information on disaster assistance, emergency preparedness, and relief

[AMERICAN RED CROSS](#)

This page provides information on how to prepare yourself for many different kinds of emergency situations

[RECENT EARTHQUAKES](#)

This is an interesting map from the U.S. Geological Survey of the most recent earthquakes in California

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ABOUT CALIFORNIA

[CALIFORNIA TRAVEL & TOURISM](#)

California's official source of travel and tourism information.

[CALIFORNIA CITY-DATA](#)

A vast collection of links to web pages featuring information of interest about cities throughout California

[GOLDEN STATE SYMBOLS](#)

Learn about the state flag, fish, animal, bird, and even the state rock here on this comprehensive site from

[U.S. CENSUS BUREAU CALIFORNIA SNAPSHOT](#)

Information about California derived from the last census. Includes demographic, economic and geographic

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HISTORY AND CULTURE

[CALIFORNIA HISTORICAL SOCIETY](#)

Explore extensive materials related to California's rich history.

[CALIFORNIA HERITAGE DIGITAL IMAGE ACCESS PROJECT](#)

A graphic-intensive electronic library containing over 30,000 photographs, pictures and manuscripts doc

[SAN FRANCISCO HISTORY LINKS](#)

This site from the Museum of the City of San Francisco has many interesting links related to the history o

[EARLY CALIFORNIA HISTORY--AN OVERVIEW](#)

This Library of Congress presentation provides a brief overview of the first people who called California

[THE CALIFORNIA COUNCIL FOR THE HUMANITIES](#)

The California Council for the Humanities is an independent state partner of the National Endowment for

[CALIFORNIA ARTS COUNCIL](#)

Information on the California Arts Council, with links to local arts commissions and a calendar of arts pro

[CALIFORNIA MUSEUM OF HISTORY, WOMEN AND THE ARTS](#)

Formerly known as the Golden State Museum, this institution offers exhibits and educational programs a

[MUSEUMS IN CALIFORNIA](#)

A directory of museums located throughout the state, with links to those institutions' web sites.

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POLITICS AND ELECTIONS

[CALIFORNIA GOVERNMENT & POLITICS](#)

A comprehensive list of links to California state, regional, and local governments, plus information on Ca

[ROUGH AND TUMBLE](#)

This site features a daily summary (with links) of the top news stories on California politics, personalities

[SECRETARY OF STATE'S ELECTIONS DIVISION](#)

This site has past election results, candidate lists, and information on upcoming ballot initiatives.

[CALIFORNIA VOTER FOUNDATION](#)

This site contains the California Voter Guide, maps of California's Assembly, State Senate, and Congress.
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POLICY RESOURCES

[CALIFORNIA LEGISLATIVE ANALYST'S OFFICE](#)

The Legislative Analyst's Office provides fiscal and policy advice to the State Legislature.

[PUBLIC POLICY INSTITUTE OF CALIFORNIA](#)

The Public Policy Institute of California is a private, nonprofit organization dedicated to researching major public policy issues.
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COMMUNITY ADVOCACY

[NAACP](#)

Founded in 1910, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People is the oldest, largest

[THE NATIONAL URBAN LEAGUE](#)

The League is a nonprofit, community-based organization headquartered in New York City, with 115 affi

[THE AFRICAN-AMERICAN MOSAIC](#)

This site is a resource guide for the study of Black history and culture presented by the Library of Congr

[ASIANAMERICAN.NET](#)

This site works to promote and strengthen cultural, educational and commercial ties between Asia and M

[ASIANWEEK](#)

This site covers current events of interest to the community, profiles stars, and analyzes Asian business

[JAPANESE AMERICAN CITIZENS LEAGUE](#)

The Japanese American Citizens League was founded in 1929 to fight discrimination against people of J

[ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS](#)

Founded in 1973, the Organization of Chinese Americans, Inc. (OCA) is a national non-profit, non-partis

[LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN AMERICAN CITIZENS \(LULAC\)](#)

This is the homepage of the oldest Latino civil rights organization. It has been active in California since 1

[NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LATINO ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS \(NALEO\)](#)

This organization promotes the participation of Latinos in the nation's civic life.

[CALIFORNIA INDIAN MUSEUM AND CULTURAL CENTER](#)

Located in San Francisco's Presidio park, this museum was established to provide California Indians with

[NORTHERN CALIFORNIA INDIAN DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL](#)

The Northern California Indian Development Council, Inc. is a private nonprofit corporation that annually

[CALIFORNIA RURAL INDIAN HEALTH BOARD](#)

Founded in 1969 by a consortium of nine California Indian Tribes, this organization seeks to provide a c

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[DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES](#)

Access the DMV's publications, forms and online services, including for those vehicle registration and dr

[WORKER'S BENEFITS](#)

This portal links to information about unemployment insurance, state disability insurance and workers' co

[STATE PARKS](#)

This site leads to information on how you can take full advantage of California's state park system and r

[LICENSES](#)

Provides links to online licensing applications for a variety of professions.

[OTHER ONLINE SERVICES](#)

A directory of online services offered by the State of California.

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